

Case No. 10367/2123**DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled APPLIANCE FOR VACUUM SEALING FOOD CONTAINERS, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
☒ was filed on September 30, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/675,284.
☒ and was amended on October 6, 2003 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)Priority Claimed

| <u>(Number)</u> | <u>(Country)</u> | <u>(Day/Month/Year Filed)</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>60/416,036</u> | <u>October 4, 2002</u> |

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> | <u>(Status-patented, pending, abandoned)</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <u>10/371,610</u> | <u>February 21, 2003</u> | <u>Pending</u> |

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Inventor's Signature

Full name of sole or first inventor

Residence

Citizenship

Post Office Address

Justin C. PattersonDate: 9-3-049 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757USA9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE

P.O. Box 10395

Chicago, IL 60610

(312) 321-4200

| | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of second joint inventor, if any | Salvatore R. Siano | |
| Residence | 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702 | |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of third joint inventor | Chi Kin John Mak | |
| Residence | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | |
| Citizenship | British National (Overseas) | |
| Post Office Address | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | |

| | | |
|------------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of fourth joint inventor | Heather Jones | |
| Residence | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of fifth joint inventor | Francis E. Marino | |
| Residence | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of sixth joint inventor | Dave Bossa | |
| Residence | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | |

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of seventh joint inventor | Yigal Offir | |
| Residence | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | |

Case No. 10367/2123**DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled APPLIANCE FOR VACUUM SEALING FOOD CONTAINERS, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
☒ was filed on September 30, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/675,284.
☒ and was amended on October 6, 2003 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)Priority Claimed

| <u>(Number)</u> | <u>(Country)</u> | <u>(Day/Month/Year Filed)</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>60/416,036</u> | <u>October 4, 2002</u> |

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> | <u>(Status-patented, pending, abandoned)</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <u>10/371,610</u> | <u>February 21, 2003</u> | <u>Pending</u> |

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Inventor's Signature

Date:

Full name of sole or first inventor

Justin C. Patterson

Residence

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

Citizenship

USA

Post Office Address

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757


BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE

P.O. Box 10395

Chicago, IL 60610

(312) 321-4200

Inventor's Signature
Full name of second joint inventor, if any
Residence
Citizenship
Post Office Address


Date: 7/2/14
Salvatore R. Siano
40 Anawan Rd., North Attleboro, MA 02760
USA
40 Anawan Rd., North Attleboro, MA 02760

Inventor's Signature
Full name of third joint inventor
Residence
Citizenship
Post Office Address

Date: _____
Chi Kin John Mak
9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China
British National (Overseas)
9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China

Inventor's Signature
Full name of fourth joint inventor
Residence
Citizenship
Post Office Address

Date: _____
Heather Jones
37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462
USA
37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462

Inventor's Signature
Full name of fifth joint inventor
Residence
Citizenship
Post Office Address

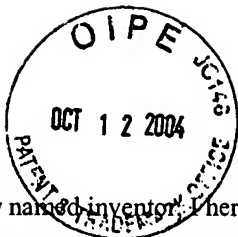
Date: _____
Francis E. Marino
394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353
USA
394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353

Inventor's Signature
Full name of sixth joint inventor
Residence
Citizenship
Post Office Address

Date: _____
Dave Bossa
55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569
USA
55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569

Inventor's Signature
Full name of seventh joint inventor
Residence
Citizenship
Post Office Address

Date: _____
Yigal Offir
1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748
USA
1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748

Case No. 10367/2123**DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled APPLIANCE FOR VACUUM SEALING FOOD CONTAINERS, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
☒ was filed on September 30, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/675,284.
☒ and was amended on October 6, 2003 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)Priority Claimed

| <u>(Number)</u> | <u>(Country)</u> | <u>(Day/Month/Year Filed)</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>60/416,036</u> | <u>October 4, 2002</u> |

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> | <u>(Status-patented, pending, abandoned)</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <u>10/371,610</u> | <u>February 21, 2003</u> | <u>Pending</u> |

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Inventor's Signature

Date:

Full name of sole or first inventor

Justin C. Patterson

Residence

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

Citizenship

USA

Post Office Address

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

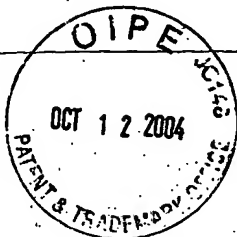
BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE

P.O. Box 10395

Chicago, IL 60610

(312) 321-4200

| | | |
|--|--|-------------------------------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of second joint inventor, if any | Salvatore R. Siano | |
| Residence | 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702 | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: <u>27 July 2014</u> |
| Full name of third joint inventor | Chi Kin John Mak | |
| Residence | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | |
| Citizenship | British National (Overseas) | |
| Post Office Address | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of fourth joint inventor | Heather Jones | |
| Residence | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of fifth joint inventor | Francis E. Marino | |
| Residence | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of sixth joint inventor | Dave Bossa | |
| Residence | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of seventh joint inventor | Yigal Offir | |
| Residence | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | |



Case No. 10367/2123

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled APPLIANCE FOR VACUUM SEALING FOOD CONTAINERS, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- ☒ was filed on September 30, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/675,284.
- ☒ and was amended on October 6, 2003 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)Priority Claimed

| (Number) | (Country) | (Day/Month/Year Filed) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|----------|-----------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|----------|-----------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

| | |
|--------------------------|-----------------|
| 60/416,036 | October 4, 2002 |
| (Application Serial No.) | (Filing Date) |

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 10/371,610 | February 21, 2003 | Pending |
| (Application Serial No.) | (Filing Date) | (Status-patented, pending, abandoned) |

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Inventor's Signature

Date:

Full name of sole or first inventor

Justin C. Patterson

Residence

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

Citizenship

USA

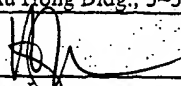
Post Office Address

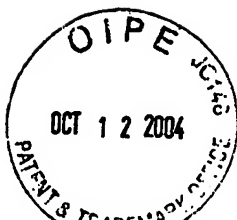
9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

HOFFMANN & BARON, LLP

ATTORNEYS AT LAW
6900 JERICHO TURNPIKE
SYOSSET, NEW YORK 11791

Case No. 10367/2123

| | | |
|--|---|---------------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of second joint inventor, if any | Salvatore R. Siano | |
| Residence | 40 Anawan Rd., North Attleboro, MA 02760 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 40 Anawan Rd., North Attleboro, MA 02760 | |
| | | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of third joint inventor | Chi Kin John Mak | |
| Residence | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3-5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | |
| Citizenship | British National (Overseas) | |
| Post Office Address | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3-5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | |
| | | |
| Inventor's Signature |  | Date: 9/30/04 |
| Full name of fourth joint inventor | Heather Jones | |
| Residence | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | |
| | | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of fifth joint inventor | Francis E. Marino | |
| Residence | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | |
| | | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of sixth joint inventor | Dave Bossa | |
| Residence | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | |
| | | |
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: _____ |
| Full name of seventh joint inventor | Yigal Offir | |
| Residence | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | |
| Citizenship | USA | |
| Post Office Address | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | |

Case No. 10367/2123**DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled APPLIANCE FOR VACUUM SEALING FOOD CONTAINERS, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
☒ was filed on September 30, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/675,284.
☒ and was amended on October 6, 2003 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)Priority Claimed

| <u>(Number)</u> | <u>(Country)</u> | <u>(Day/Month/Year Filed)</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>60/416,036</u> | <u>October 4, 2002</u> |

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> | <u>(Status-patented, pending, abandoned)</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <u>10/371,610</u> | <u>February 21, 2003</u> | <u>Pending</u> |

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Inventor's Signature

Date:

Full name of sole or first inventor

Justin C. Patterson

Residence

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

Citizenship

USA

Post Office Address

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE

P.O. Box 10395

Chicago, IL 60610

(312) 321-4200

Inventor's Signature _____ Date: _____
Full name of second joint inventor, if any Salvatore R. Siano
Residence 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702
Citizenship USA
Post Office Address 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702

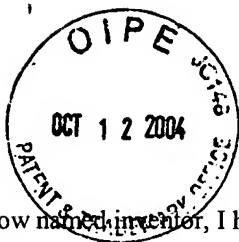
Inventor's Signature _____ Date: _____
Full name of third joint inventor Chi Kin John Mak
Residence 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China
Citizenship British National (Overseas)
Post Office Address 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China

Inventor's Signature _____ Date: _____
Full name of fourth joint inventor Heather Jones
Residence 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462
Citizenship USA
Post Office Address 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462

Inventor's Signature _____ Date: 6/10/04
Full name of fifth joint inventor Francis E. Marino
Residence 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353
Citizenship USA
Post Office Address 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353

Inventor's Signature _____ Date: _____
Full name of sixth joint inventor Dave Bossa
Residence 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569
Citizenship USA
Post Office Address 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569

Inventor's Signature _____ Date: _____
Full name of seventh joint inventor Yigal Offir
Residence 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748
Citizenship USA
Post Office Address 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748

Case No. 10367/2123**DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled APPLIANCE FOR VACUUM SEALING FOOD CONTAINERS, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
☒ was filed on September 30, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/675,284.
☒ and was amended on October 6, 2003 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)Priority Claimed

| <u>(Number)</u> | <u>(Country)</u> | <u>(Day/Month/Year Filed)</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>60/416,036</u> | <u>October 4, 2002</u> |

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> | <u>(Status-patented, pending, abandoned)</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <u>10/371,610</u> | <u>February 21, 2003</u> | <u>Pending</u> |

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Inventor's Signature

Date:

Full name of sole or first inventor

Justin C. Patterson

Residence

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

Citizenship

USA

Post Office Address

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE

P.O. Box 10395

Chicago, IL 60610


(312) 321-4200

| | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of second joint inventor, if any | Salvatore R. Siano | | |
| Residence | 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702 | | |

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of third joint inventor | Chi Kin John Mak | | |
| Residence | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | | |
| Citizenship | British National (Overseas) | | |
| Post Office Address | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | | |

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|--|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of fourth joint inventor | Heather Jones | | |
| Residence | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | | |

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of fifth joint inventor | Francis E. Marino | | |
| Residence | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | | |

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|-------|---------|
| Inventor's Signature |  | Date: | 4/15/04 |
| Full name of sixth joint inventor | Dave Bossa | | |
| Residence | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | | |

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of seventh joint inventor | Yigal Offir | | |
| Residence | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | | |

Case No. 10367/2123**DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled APPLIANCE FOR VACUUM SEALING FOOD CONTAINERS, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
☒ was filed on September 30, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/675,284.
☒ and was amended on October 6, 2003 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)Priority Claimed

| <u>(Number)</u> | <u>(Country)</u> | <u>(Day/Month/Year Filed)</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>60/416,036</u> | <u>October 4, 2002</u> |

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

| <u>(Application Serial No.)</u> | <u>(Filing Date)</u> | <u>(Status-patented, pending, abandoned)</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <u>10/371,610</u> | <u>February 21, 2003</u> | <u>Pending</u> |

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Inventor's Signature

Date:

Full name of sole or first inventor

Justin C. Patterson

Residence

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

Citizenship

USA

Post Office Address

9 Del Ann Circle, Milford, MA 01757

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE

P.O. Box 10395

Chicago, IL 60610

(312) 321-4200

| | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of second joint inventor, if any | Salvatore R. Siano | | |
| Residence | 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 51 Gorman Road, Framingham, MA 01702 | | |

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of third joint inventor | Chi Kin John Mak | | |
| Residence | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | | |
| Citizenship | British National (Overseas) | | |
| Post Office Address | 9B Kiu Hong Bldg., 3~5, Tin Lok Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong, China | | |

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|--|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of fourth joint inventor | Heather Jones | | |
| Residence | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 37 Saint Mary's Street, Newton, MA 02462 | | |

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of fifth joint inventor | Francis E. Marino | | |
| Residence | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 394 Meredith Neck Road, Meredith, NH 02353 | | |

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of sixth joint inventor | Dave Bossa | | |
| Residence | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 55 Hazel Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 | | |

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|-------|-------|
| Inventor's Signature | _____ | Date: | _____ |
| Full name of seventh joint inventor | Yigal Ofir | | |
| Residence | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | | |
| Citizenship | USA | | |
| Post Office Address | 1 Breakneck Hill Road, Hopkinton, MA 01748 | | |